AUGUSTA

Augusta Summer Session, 1967

AUGUSTA MILITARY ACADEMY, FORT DEFIANCE, VA.

Col. M. H. Livick, M.S., Director • *Non-Military Summer School*
A Seven-Week Program • *Grades Five through Twelve* • *June 19-August 5, 1967*

The Summer Session

Established 1963

Conducted by a faculty comprised primarily of Augusta teachers, the Summer Session provides individual attention and an atmosphere of concentrated study. Students may develop basic skills, earn advanced credits in courses which supplement the standard academic areas, and review courses taken previously. Dress is informal, classes are small, and standards are the same as those prevailing during the regular session. Unless otherwise noted, each course meets two hours or four hours a day, six days a week. Boys are admitted as boarding or day students; girls are admitted as day students for the reading clinic.

GENERAL INFORMATION

STUDY PROGRAM

Augusta Military Academy's summer program is modeled after the winter program and is directed toward the needs of fifth through the postgraduate students who desire to take advanced work or who wish to salvage previous credits.

A student who enrolls for new credit work is limited to one subject but a boy making up deficiencies may enroll in two courses for a maximum of two units in the repeated subjects.

Daily classes are supplemented by a period of special help classes and supervised evening study periods.

Summer school offerings include English, Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry and Advanced Algebra, United States and Virginia history, United States and Virginia government, Chemistry, Biology, Latin I and II, Spanish I and II, and French I and II. Additional classes may be scheduled if demand is sufficient. Classes for students who will enter college in September have been arranged in English and Math. No credit will be given but this program will allow students to gain a better foundation for college.

BOARDING

The program for boarders includes supervised night study and such recreational activities as swimming, tennis, softball, touch football, and basketball.

Dormitory rooms are comfortable and airy, with every effort made to make the boys' surroundings as homelike as possible. All personal items, including clothing, should be clearly marked in indelible ink or with name tags.

In general, sports equipment is supplied by the school. Boys should bring their own equipment for tennis and baseball. A small bedside radio (or record player) is optional equipment. Tape recorders and TV sets are not permitted during the summer.

Bermuda shorts or cotton slacks with sport shirts are regular school attire. Summer sports jackets or summer suits are worn on Sundays, for Town leave and for the Summer School trip.

Boys will need the following items:

1 pillow, 2 light blankets, 6 sheets, 3 pillowcases, 4 face cloths, 12 bath towels, bathrobe and slippers, raincoat, shirts (sport and dress for Sunday), old clothes for "roughing it"; sox, underwear, sweater, Bermuda shorts and cotton slacks, pajamas, swim suit, footwear for pool use, lightweight sport jacket, ties, lightweight suit (optional), shoes (including basketball or tennis), soap container and bath soap.

For a student who enrolls at Augusta for the first time, a health certificate, signed by the family physician, should be submitted before June 19. It should include a statement of: (1) general health; (2) physical defects, if any; (3) serious illness or operation in the past twelve months; (4) any limitation on physical activity (please explain fully), or reaction to drugs. All innoculations should be up to date. A photograph is also required.

TRIP TO HISTORIC SHRINES

Unique is the inclusion in the Augusta summer program of an enriching trip to locales of historic interest. In the past Washington, Williamsburg, Jamestown, Yorktown, Norfolk and Richmond and the World's Fair have served as Summer School trips. The trip begins after classes on the 22nd of July and ends on the 27th. Each group of 25 boys is accompanied by one faculty officer. A tour of government buildings and shrines is included and room, transportation and trip insurance coverage is included in the tuition.

SELECTION OF COURSES

For day students, there is no required number of courses. Boarders may select as many as two subjects, and Developmental Reading. The maximum course load is two plus Developmental Reading. No course will be given without sufficient enrollment.

CREDIT

Augusta students must get permission from the Head of the Upper School if they wish to select a course for advanced credit. Other students should consult the officials of their own schools about credit arrangements.

FEES

The fee for boarding students is $525.00. The cost of the Developmental Reading course is $100.00. Day student charge for academic subjects is $150.00. Except for those taking only Developmental Reading, a mid-day meal is provided for day students.

No fees will be refunded for withdrawal, absence, dismissal, or late entry. Please make checks payable to Augusta Summer Session.

ADMISSION

Further information may be obtained from the Director of the Summer Session or the Director of Admissions. Students not presently enrolled at Augusta must submit transcript and photograph. The School's telephone number is 885-1281 (Area Code 703).

SPECIAL SUMMER COURSES

DEVELOPMENTAL READING and REMEDIAL READING

Through the use of materials and techniques developed by Science Research Associates, Inc., this course is designed to help normal readers who wish to improve their speed and comprehension of reading and their methods of study. It is also a remedial course where often the most able students make the greatest gains. The instruction is adapted to individual students. For boarders classes meet daily, six days a week, for six weeks. Day students in reading only have classes 5 days a week for five weeks. For boarders taking reading courses only, class work under the supervision of faculty of the English department supplements the reading course work in the last days of Summer Session. These boys also take the Summer Session trip. All students (except those taking two other courses) are assigned collateral reading of various types and various levels of difficulty to be completed outside the class. Boarders must do this work under supervision (No credit).

Remedial reading is also offered for those having extreme difficulty. A program of remedial math may also be arranged.

Writing Projects

The nature of each writing project is determined by individual abilities, needs, and interests. On both levels of the course, writing will be correlated with the study of the prose techniques of noted authors.

Review Projects — These projects are intended to aid students who want an intensive review of basic composition skills. The emphasis is upon expository writing.

Advanced Projects — These projects are for students who desire advanced work in such areas as creative writing, personal and critical essays, and research papers.

RECREATION

Swimming, tennis, softball, badminton, basketball and track reflect the completeness of Augusta's summer recreation program. Movies are shown at the Academy on Saturday nights, and Thursday afternoons are designated as Town days.

Church attendance is required and all Protestants attend services at the Old Stone Church, Catholics attend Mass in Harrisonburg and Jewish boys attend the Temple in Staunton.

COURSES FOR ADVANCEMENT FOR COLLEGE ENTRANCE IN SEPTEMBER (NO CREDIT).

NEW COURSES

No student may take over one new subject. He may, however, also take Developmental Reading.

DAILY SCHEDULE

7:45	— Rising*
8:00	— Breakfast*
9:00-11:00	— First Period
11:00- 1:00	— Second Period
1:00	— Lunch
1:40- 3:40	— Third Period
3:40- 6:00	— Activities
6:05	— Supper*
6:30- 7:00	— Evening activities*
7:00- 9:30	— Supervised Night Study*
10:30	— Lights out for Upper School*
11:00	— Lights out weekends only*

* *Boarders only*

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Business office	Student Telephones
885-1281	886-9863
	886-9872

REVIEW COURSES

A passing grade in a review course earns one credit toward graduation only when the student is repeating the course to make up a failure. Permission to take a course in order to raise a passing grade must be approved prior to 19 June 1967.

ENGLISH:

GRADES FIVE THROUGH TWELVE

Fundamentals of expository writing and grammar are stressed at all levels. Basic reading skills are reviewed in grades five and six; the study of literature is included in the other grades.

MATHEMATICS:

GRADES FIVE THROUGH EIGHT

In grade five, problems involving mixed numbers, decimals, rectangles, and simple graphs are introduced. Grade six gives emphasis to per cent, volume, ratio, and additional geometry problems. Business arithmetic, geometry of basic figures, square root, factors, formulas, and types of numbers are basic areas in grade seven. In grade eight, a study of geometric theorems, constructions, and properties precedes an introduction to the algebraic concepts of polynomials, factoring, and fractions.

ALGEBRA I

This course consists of traditional Elementary Algebra covering the fundamental operations, factoring, fractions, equation solution, radicals, exponents, graphing, statement problems, the quadratic equation, and numerical trigonometry of the right triangle. This work is enriched by attention to absolute value, inequalities, and modern mathematics.

GEOMETRY

The work includes both plane and solid geometry. The emphasis is on formal proof of original geometric problems, and algebraic skills are reviewed when applicable to the geometric problems.

ALGEBRA II

Algebra II includes additional methods of factoring, the theory of logarithms, the relationship of roots to coefficients, the quadratic function, the binomial theorem, types of variation, progressions, and some operations basic to analytic geometry.

CHEMISTRY

Atomic and molecular structure, the nature and states of matter, chemical calculations, ions and their behavior, descriptive chemistry of representative elements, and radio-chemistry are the principal subjects of this course.

BIOLOGY

Beginning with a survey of the plant and animal kingdoms, this course aims (1) to develop an understanding of the essentials of physiology, reproduction, heredity, and embryology and (2) to examine behavior in relation to the nervous system, health, conservation and human welfare.

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Are offered when demand is sufficient. (Latin, French, Spanish and German.)

TRIGONOMETRY
ADVANCED ALGEBRA

Offered when demand is sufficient.

HISTORY

American history, American government, World history and World geography are offered.

TUITION AND FEES

$525 for the entire summer session includes room, board, laundry, summer school trip, use of athletic facilities, and use of science laboratories. ($25.00 is due upon applying for admission with all remaining fees due on or before 19 June 1967.) $100.00 optional fee for Remedial Reading. $10.00 Book deposit fee. Student accident insurance is available.

SPECIFIC RULES

1. No student may have a car while in attendance at Summer School.
2. Drinking is not allowed and expulsion may result if anyone violates this regulation.
3. No firearms or archery equipment are allowed.
4. No leaves are granted except for an emergency.

APPLICATION FOR

AUGUSTA SUMMER SESSION

AUGUSTA MILITARY ACADEMY

Fort Defiance, Virginia

Photograph required if applicant has not registered at AMA previously.

Name_____
(Last) (Middle) (First)

If middle name is preferred, please underline it. Indicate any nickname.

Address_____

Telephone No._____ Date of Birth_____

Name of Parent or Guardian_____

Address_____ Tel. No._____

School attended_____ Grade_____

Full name of principal or guidance officer_____

Designate subjects to be reviewed or new subject to be completed during summer school.

Subject and year	Grade Earned	Indicate if credit is desired
1)		
2)		

Detach this sheet, attach check for deposit of $25.00 which is not applicable against tuition or other summer school fees. sign your name, date, and mail to Col. M. H. Livick. Augusta Summer Session, Fort Defiance, Va. 24437.

In case of emergency, and in the event you cannot be reached, whom should the school contact?

Name_____

Address_____

Zip_____ Area Code_____ Tel. No._____

It is our hope and expectation that every boy will enjoy his summer term with us without accident or serious illness. However, if an unforeseen emergency should occur requiring hospitalization and possible surgery, the parents will be notified immediately. It is understood that in the event the parents or persons otherwise designated cannot be reached, and if the medical authorities appointed by the school find hospitalization or other emergency measures necessary, such procedures will be taken without delay.

Tuition for the entire session is $525.00 and is due not later than June 19 following official acceptance. A recommended amount of $50.00 for spending money for the entire summer should be deposited with the school. The Remedial Reading Clinic charge is $100.00. Book deposit of $10.00 is required.

Students enrolling at AMA initially must carry accident insurance. The fee for this coverage is $7.00.

A deposit of $25.00 must accompany this application. If the applicant is not accepted, the deposit will be returned. If he is accepted this amount does apply against tuition.

Day students tuition fee is $150.00 for regular academic courses.

No refund of tuition will be made for withdrawal or dismissal after the start of the session.

No student may have a car while in attendance. No drinking is allowed and no firearms are allowed.

No military training is given during the summer.

Your signature below will indicate your understanding and agreement to these provisions.

This application is submitted with an understanding and acceptance of the rules, conditions, and requirements of the Summer Session. The tuition contract is for the full period of the Summer Session. No reductions will be made for late arrival, for withdrawal, for dismissal, or for absence.

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(Date) (Signature of Parent or Guardian)

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